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SUBJECT: EDX- IV GRANTS AL- AHMAR AND AL- MATARI

REF: SATATE 75371; SANAA A-7 OF APRIL 19, 1973

1. FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF PROGRAM SUGGESTIONS AND
BIO DATA FORWARDED BY REPAIR.

2. PROGRAM SUGGESTIONS. THREE DAYS IN WASHINGTON FOR CALLS
ON APPROPRIATE SENIOR DEPT OFFICERS. (NOTE:
AL- AHMAR HOSTED LUNCHEON IN SANAA FOR SECY AND ASST SECY
SISCO DURING THEIR VISIT TO SANAA JULY 1, 1972.)
COURTESY CALLS ON CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS, INCLUDING
RETURNING CALL OF CONGRESSMAN POAGE (D- TEX) IN SANAA
LAST FALL. VISIT TO AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOP-
MENT PROJECTS IN IRRIGATED AREAS OF SOUTHWEST SIMILAR TO
TRIBAL FARMING AREAS OF TWO NOMINEES. TRIP TO SEVERAL
MAJOR CITIES IN US TO GAIN GENERAL IMPRESSION OF COUNTRY
(NEITHER HAS EVER BEEN TO US BEFORE).

3. BIO DATA AL AHMAR (NUMBERS KEYED TO 12 FAM
EXHIBIT 407.2-2 C(3))

- 1) ABDALLAH BIN HUSAIN AL- AHMAR
- 2) PRESIDENT OF YAR CONSULATATIVE ASSEMBLY AND PARAMOUNT
SHAIKH OF HASHID TRIBAL CONFEDERATION
- 3) NONE
- 4) WEST GERMANY, ARAB WORLD
- 5) NONE
- 6) ARABIC (NATIVE)

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- 7) MARRIED, NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNKNOWN
- 8) NONE
- 9) YAR EMBASSY WASHINGTON
- 10) OBSERVES MUSLIM DIETARY RESTRICTIONS (NO PORK OR ALCOHOL). QUIET, FRIENDLY AND DIGNIFIED PERSONALITY.

4. BIO DATA AL- MATARI (NUMBERS KEYED AS ABOVE)

- 1) AHMAD ALI AL- MATARI
 - 2) MEMBER OF CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY AND PARAMOUNT SHAIKH OF BANI MATAR TRIBE
 - 3) NONE
 - 4) ARAB WORLD
 - 5) MAY KNOW A LITTLE FROM HIS STUDIES AT CAIRO UNIV.
 - 6) ARABIC (NATIVE)
 - 7) MARRIED , NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNKNOWN
 - 8) NONE
 - 9) YAR EMBASSY WASHINGTON
 - 10) OBSERVES MUSLIM DIETARY RESTRICTIONS (NO PORK OR ALCOHOL).
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